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is being advertised. That's where most of the problems occur is in the advertised price. They think it's a waste of time and resources to check price on items that the price never change on. So this is in comport with the department.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay, so that's...that's the main thrust of all those excepted sections?

SENATOR DIERKS: That's my understanding.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay. Thank you very much.

SENATOR DIERKS: You bet.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Further debate on advancement? Senator Dierks, you're recognized to close on the advancement of LB 473 to E & R Initial.

SENATOR DIERKS: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I think that the questions raised about the neutral testimony from the Retail Federation, they came and asked about the amendment, and that's why the amendment that we just adopted was adopted. So they had a problem with that and we adopted that amendment. So with that, I'd like to ask for advancement of the bill.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: You've heard the closing. The question before the body is the advancement of LB 473 to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted who care to? Record.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of 473.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: LB 473 is advanced. Before we move to the next bill, there is a special guest of the Legislature here this morning. JoAnne Bourquard from the NCSL staff is here. JoAnne, would you raise your hand. She is at the back looking at the laptop. We welcome you to the Legislature. We're glad you're here. We are a member of NCSL. I know a number of you work very closely with the group. I think it would be appropriate, if you haven't had a chance to introduce yourself, go back and visit with JoAnne while she is here, and she can talk to you